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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. Applicant respectfully requests that the amendment previously filed May 24, 2004, but unentered, in the prior application, be entered at this time.

Our check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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